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RESOLUTION ADOPTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY

[on the report of the Fifth Committee (A/49/878)]

49/240. Financing of the United Nations Mission of
Observers in Tajikistan

The General Assembly,

Having considered the report of the Secretary-General on the financing of the United Nations Mission of Observers in Tajikistan 1/ and the related report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions, 2/

Bearing in mind Security Council resolution 968 (1994) of 16 December 1994, by which the Council decided to establish the United Nations Mission of Observers in Tajikistan for a period of up to six months, subject to the proviso that it would continue beyond 6 February 1995 only if the Secretary-General reported to the Council by that date that the parties had agreed to extend the Agreement on a Temporary Cease-fire and the Cessation of Other Hostile Acts on the Tajik-Afghan Border and within the Country for the Duration of the Talks, signed at Tehran on 17 September 1994, 3/ and that they remained committed to an effective cease-fire, national reconciliation and the promotion of democracy,

Recognizing that the costs of the Mission of Observers are expenses of the Organization to be borne by Member States in accordance with Article 17, paragraph 2, of the Charter of the United Nations,

1/ A/49/854.

2/ A/49/868.

3/ S/1994/1102, annex I.

Recognizing also that, in order to meet the expenditures caused by the Mission of Observers, a different procedure is required from the one applied to meet expenditures of the regular budget of the United Nations,

Taking into account the fact that the economically more developed countries are in a position to make relatively larger contributions and that the economically less developed countries have a relatively limited capacity to contribute towards such an operation,

Bearing in mind the special responsibilities of the States permanent members of the Security Council, as indicated in General Assembly resolution 1874 (S-IV) of 27 June 1963 in the financing of such operations,

Mindful of the fact that it is essential to provide the Mission of Observers with the necessary financial resources to enable it to fulfil its responsibilities under the relevant resolutions of the Security Council,

1. Endorses the observations and recommendations contained in the report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions; 2/
2. Requests the Secretary-General to take all necessary action to ensure that the United Nations Mission of Observers in Tajikistan is administered with a maximum of efficiency and economy;
3. Urges all Member States to make every possible effort to ensure payment of their assessed contributions to the Mission of Observers in full and on time;
4. Decides to appropriate to the Special Account for the United Nations Mission of Observers in Tajikistan an amount of 3,251,200 United States dollars gross (3,123,600 dollars net) for the operation of the Mission of Observers from 16 December 1994 to 26 April 1995, inclusive of the amount of 1,759,700 dollars gross (1,711,800 dollars net) authorized under the terms of paragraph 1 (a) of General Assembly resolution 48/229 of 23 December 1993 on unforeseen and extraordinary expenses for the biennium 1994-1995 and the amount of 651,600 dollars gross (611,600 dollars net) authorized with the concurrence of the Advisory Committee under the terms of section IV, paragraph 2, of Assembly resolution 49/233 A of 23 December 1994;
5. Decides also, as an ad hoc arrangement, to apportion the amount of 3,251,200 dollars gross (3,123,600 dollars net) for the period from 16 December 1994 to 26 April 1995 among Member States in accordance with the composition of groups set out in paragraphs 3 and 4 of General Assembly resolution 43/232 of 1 March 1989, as adjusted by the Assembly in its resolutions 44/192 B of 21 December 1989, 45/269 of 27 August 1991, 46/198 A of 20 December 1991 and 47/218 A of 23 December 1992 and its decision 48/472 A of 23 December 1993, the scale of assessments for the year 1994 4/ to be applied against a portion thereof, that is, 394,100 dollars gross (378,600 dollars net), which is the amount pertaining on a pro rata basis to the period ending 31 December 1994, and the scale of assessments for the year 1995 5/ to be applied against the balance, that is, 2,857,100 dollars gross (2,745,000 dollars net), for the period from 1 January to 26 April 1995, inclusive;
6. Decides further that, in accordance with the provisions of its resolution 973 (X) of 15 December 1955, there shall be set off against the

4/ See resolutions 46/221 A and 48/223 A and decision 47/456.

5/ See resolution 49/19 B.

apportionment among Member States, as provided for in paragraph 5 above, their respective share in the Tax Equalization Fund of the estimated staff assessment income of 127,600 dollars approved for the period from 16 December 1994 to 26 April 1995, inclusive; 15,500 dollars being the amount pertaining on a pro rata basis to the period ending 31 December 1994 and the difference, that is, 112,100 dollars, being for the period from 1 January to 26 April 1995, inclusive;

7. Decides to appropriate the amount of 10,044,200 dollars gross (9,547,000 dollars net) for the continued operation of the Mission of Observers for the period from 27 April 1995 to 30 June 1996, to be assessed at the rate of 717,400 dollars gross (681,900 dollars net) per month in accordance with the scheme set out in the present resolution, subject to the decision of the Security Council to extend the mandate of the Mission of Observers beyond the period authorized by the Council in its resolution 968 (1994);

8. Invites voluntary contributions to the Mission of Observers in cash and in the form of services and supplies acceptable to the Secretary-General, to be administered, as appropriate, in accordance with the procedure established by the General Assembly in its resolutions 43/230 of 21 December 1988, 44/192 A of 21 December 1989 and 45/258 of 3 May 1991;

9. Decides to include in the provisional agenda of its fiftieth session the item entitled "Financing of the United Nations Mission of Observers in Tajikistan".

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RESOLUTION ADOPTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY

[on the report of the Fifth Committee (A/49/802/Add.2)]

49/241. Payment of repatriation grant to staff members living in their home country while stationed at duty stations located in another country

The General Assembly,

Having considered the report of the Secretary-General on payment of repatriation grant to staff members living in their home country while stationed at duty stations located in another country, 1/

Recalling section II.D of its resolution 48/224 of 23 December 1993 on the United Nations common system, in which it requested the International Civil Service Commission to study further the practices of the organizations of the United Nations common system regarding the granting of expatriate entitlements to staff members living in their home country while stationed at duty stations located in another country, with a view to harmonizing the practices of the organizations with those of the United Nations, and to make recommendations thereon to the General Assembly at its fifty-first session,

Noting the decision of the United Nations Administrative Tribunal in Judgement No. 656, Kremer, Gourdon,

1. Reiterates its decision that the repatriation grant and other expatriate benefits are limited to staff who both work and reside in a country other than their home country;

1/ A/C.5/49/59.

2. Approves the amendments to the Staff Regulations of the United Nations contained in the annex to the present resolution;

3. Decides to re-examine the issue of entitlement to repatriation and other expatriate benefits to staff members living in their home country while stationed at duty stations located in another country during its fifty-first session, in the light of the report by the International Civil Service Commission requested in section II.D of its resolution 48/224.

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ANNEX

Amendments to the Staff Regulations of the United Nations

Article III

Salaries and related allowances

Replace the first sentence of regulation 3.2 (a) with the following text:

"Regulation 3.2: (a) The Secretary-General shall establish terms and conditions under which an education grant shall be available to a staff member residing and serving outside his or her recognized home country whose dependent child is in full-time attendance at a school, university or similar educational institution of a type that will, in the opinion of the Secretary-General, facilitate the child's reassimilation in the staff member's recognized home country."

Article V

Annual and special leave

Replace regulation 5.3 with the following text:

"Regulation 5.3: Eligible staff members shall be granted home leave once in every two years. However, in the case of designated duty stations having very difficult conditions of life and work, eligible staff members shall be granted home leave once in every twelve months. A staff member whose home country is either the country of his or her official duty station or the country of his or her normal residence while in United Nations service, shall not be eligible for home leave."

Annex IV to the Staff Regulations

Repatriation grant

Replace the paragraph with the following text:

"In principle, the repatriation grant shall be payable to staff members whom the Organization is obligated to repatriate and who at the time of separation are residing, by virtue of their service with the

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United Nations, outside their country of nationality. The repatriation grant shall not, however, be paid to a staff member who is summarily dismissed. Eligible staff members shall be entitled to a repatriation grant only upon relocation outside the country of the duty station. Detailed conditions and definitions relating to eligibility and requisite evidence of relocation shall be determined by the Secretary-General."



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49/242. Financing of the International Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of the Former Yugoslavia since 1991

The General Assembly,

Recognizing the need for a prompt decision on the mode of financing of the International Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of the Former Yugoslavia since 1991,

1. Resolves to resume its consideration of the question of the financing of the International Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of the Former Yugoslavia since 1991 at its resumed forty-ninth session in June 1995 in order to decide no later than 14 July 1995 on all outstanding questions, in particular the mode of financing;

2. Decides to authorize the Secretary-General to enter into commitments in the additional amount of 7,095,000 United States dollars for the period from 15 April to 14 July 1995 to allow the Tribunal to continue its activities until 14 July 1995, without prejudice to any decisions that the General Assembly may take with regard to the mode of financing of the Tribunal.

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RESOLUTION ADOPTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY

[note by the Secretary-General (A/49/887 and Corr.1)]

49/243. Accreditation of non-governmental
organizations to the Fourth World
Conference on Women: Action for Equality,
Development and Peace

The General Assembly,

Recalling Economic and Social Council resolution 1296 (XLIV) of 23 May 1968 on arrangements for consultation with non-governmental organizations,

Recalling also Economic and Social Council resolution 1987/20 of 26 May 1987, in which the Council decided that the Commission on the Status of Women should be designated as the preparatory body for world conferences on women,

Recalling further resolution 37/7 of 25 March 1993 of the Commission on the Status of Women, concerning preparations for the Fourth World Conference on Women: Action for Equality, Development and Peace,

Recalling General Assembly resolution 48/108 of 20 December 1993, by which the Assembly adopted modalities for the participation in and contribution to the Conference and its preparatory process by non-governmental organizations,

Emphasizing that the rules for accreditation of non-governmental organizations to the Conference, contained in the annex to resolution 48/108, should be applied transparently and fairly,

Reaffirming the importance of participation by non-governmental organizations in the Conference and its preparatory process,

Noting that there is need for more time and opportunity for many non-governmental organizations to clarify their qualifications for accreditation to the Conference,

1. Requests the secretariat of the Fourth World Conference on Women: Action for Equality, Development and Peace to communicate immediately in writing with each non-governmental organization which, by 15 March 1995, had applied for accreditation to the Conference but had not yet been accredited, listing the reasons why the secretariat had not forwarded the name of the organization to the Commission on the Status of Women for accreditation;

2. Also requests the secretariat of the Conference to invite those non-governmental organizations referred to in paragraphs 1 above and 4 below to submit, within four weeks of the date of transmittal of the secretariat's written communication, further relevant information concerning their qualifications for accreditation;

3. Requests that the secretariat of the Conference be responsible for the receipt and evaluation, in accordance with the provisions of the annex to General Assembly resolution 48/108, of all previously supplied information, as well as that submitted by non-governmental organizations under the terms of paragraph 2 above;

4. Requests the secretariat of the Conference to extend the deadline for application for accreditation by non-governmental organizations until 28 April 1995, to continue to consider applications received by that date and to ensure that those applications are considered in a transparent manner, in accordance with the criteria set forth in the annex to resolution 48/108;

5. Also requests the secretariat of the Conference, prior to the convening of the substantive session of 1995 of the Economic and Social Council, to prepare a list of those non-governmental organizations referred to in paragraphs 1 and 4 which, considering all available information, appear to have met the criteria set forth in the annex to resolution 48/108 for accreditation to the Conference;

6. Further requests the secretariat of the Conference to provide a list of those non-governmental organizations referred to in paragraphs 1 and 4 which the secretariat does not recommend for accreditation, together with the reasons for non-recommendation, to all members of the Economic and Social Council no later than one week prior to the substantive session of 1995 of the Council;

7. Authorizes the Economic and Social Council, at its substantive session of 1995, to decide on all pending proposals for accreditation of non-governmental organizations;

8. Requests the secretariat of the Conference, after the final consideration by the Economic and Social Council of the list of the non-governmental organizations referred to in paragraphs 1 and 4, promptly to notify those organizations of the final determination made by the Council.

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